

Prince Albert.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

THE VERY LATEST NEWS.

CANADIAN.

PORT ARTHUR, June 7.—The Campaign and Atholville left Owen Sound on Thursday, the former at 8 a.m. and the latter at 4 p.m. They reached here within half an hour's time of each other this morning.

The first passenger train over the C. P. R. east of Port Arthur left the station this morning for Nipigon. Among the passengers were many leading citizens of the town, including the Mayor and town councillors, besides some lady ladies and others, who came out to celebrate the occasion.

ENGLEWOOD, June 7.—Yesterday while the wife J. S. Ireland, living on the Marais, was in the garden, she was struck and instantly killed by lightning, her clothing was completely torn off.

ENGLAND, N.W.E., June 7.—An agricultural society was formed here today. Their object is the erection of a steam and mill. Such an enterprise is much needed in this district, and it is hoped that the formation of this society will result in its speedy construction.

TORONTO, June 7.—It is understood that work on the Port and Pacific railway will commence in about a week.

Notice of application for divorce, on grounds of cruelty has been given by two parties namely: Mrs. A. Johnson, nee Miss Evans, of Toronto; and Mrs. F. E. Desha, nee Miss Davis, of Montreal.

The residence of Alexander Carroll, twenty miles from the city, was struck by lightning and burned last night. Four children perished, and other members of the family escaped with great difficulty.

MONTREAL, June 7.—Hon. J. Roy, M.P., will deliver an address at the St. Jean Baptiste Convention on the situation of French Canadians in the North West.

TORONTO, June 7.—Lieut. Gordon, of the Canadian Meteorological Service, will command the Dominion Government Hudson Bay expedition.

The Council, assembly passed a resolution yesterday, in strong terms against secessionist faction, the running of an essay train, taking of United States mail matter, and the holding of fairs in the city, were all condemned. The Manitoba Legislature was divided into three Presbyteries, Winnipeg, Brandon and Rock Lake, and to form the Synod of Manitoba, and for the next time in a Presbyterial Assembly a lady mission. Mrs. Healy, took place among the members at tonight's session. Miss Healy graduated from the medical faculty of Queen's College, and will soon be a worker for foreign missions.

The commissioners appointed to investigate the bribery case held a preliminary meeting last Saturday.

HALIFAX, June 7.—Frankie Bowie, father of the boy who murdered Ronald McDonald, was tried at Antigonish by the Supreme Court today for being a principal in the second degree. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

PROVINCIAL, N.B., June 7.—The writ for the Provincial election in Victoria county, caused by the resignation of Tibbits, appointed Deputy Provincial Secretary, has been issued.

WINNIPEG, June 7.—A petition for the incorporation of the city outside of Lake Plouffe, the wife murderer, has been sent to the Governor-General.

SHREWSBURY, June 7.—Calista Rice, aged 19, Joseph Costner, 15, and Ophelia Hop, 18, were drowned on Thursday while bathing in a mill pond.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 7.—A schooner from Miramichi, Trinity Bay, reported that the fishing schooner of Wm. Shaw, of that place, and commanded by the brother Neil Shaw, and crew of sixteen hands, were wrecked in Trinity Bay, and all hands were lost.

AMERICAN.

ALBANY, Mass., June 7.—The schooner Fannie Fern was run down this morning on the passage from George's Bay by an unknown outward steamer. Six of the crew were killed.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—A letter received here by the American Association of the Red Cross from its president, Miss Clara Barton, who has been engaged in relief work along the lower Mississippi,

state that she is now moving slowly up the Ohio river with the Red Cross steamer on her return home. She stops at out of the way places, where much distress still exists, and has furnished hundreds of families with household supplies that could not otherwise have been acquired for months.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Friends of Mr. Flower, who have been canvassing the political situation in this State, say that of one hundred and eight delegates elected outside of New York City to the Saratoga convention the first choice of all is Tilden, except in Syracuse, where the feeling is for Cleveland. The second choice, according to their observations, stands: Flower, 82; Cleveland, 26.

Boston, June 8.—Winlow & Rogers' shoe factory at Salem was burned this morning. Loss \$100,000.

ALBANY, Me., June 8.—Congratulatory telegrams continued to reach Blaine during Friday and Saturday. Over 1,000 were received in 24 hours after his nomination.

HARTFORD, June 8.—Henry C. Work, the noted song writer and composer, died this evening of heart disease.

GENERAL.

LONDON, June 7.—The Egyptian cabinet, having gained confidence, the preparations for a military expedition to Khartoum had ceased to be denied. It will be en route by June 28.

It is very evident that the present English Government are now seeking some line of retreat from their recent positive declaration of exclusive control in the Egyptian question.

BELGIAN, June 7.—England is said to have advanced £8,000,000 to the Egyptian Government to balance the budget.

CALCUTTA, June 7.—Another battalion of Egyptian troops has been ordered to Suakin. The remainder at Port Said will start at once.

LONDON, June 8.—Earl Granville and Mr. Waddington have agreed upon a basis of conference in Egyptian affairs. The terms of the Government have been imparted to the Powers.

The Times says the friends of Gordon will make arrangements to send messages to Khartoum with letterpress copies of reports of debates in Parliament on the Egyptian question, and of proceedings of the various meetings at which the Government were urged to relieve Gordon. Extracts from the London and provincial press will also be sent for the purpose of showing Gordon that a large section of the public favours military action to rescue him.

MADRID, June 8.—The ministers have decided that seven of the fifteen members of the Black Hand Anarchist society shall be executed. Others suffer life-long servitude.

DUBLIN, June 7.—Earl Spencer has issued a proclamation forbidding the Orangemen's demonstration at Newry to-morrow. Numbers of infantry, lance and police are assembled to preserve order. The stoppage of the demonstration is regarded as the greatest concession to Irish Nationalists in fifty years. There is great excitement among the Orangemen. Thousands of them have arrived at Belfast.

LONDON, June 7.—Joseph Biggar, the Irish Home Rule M.P. for Cavan, laughs at the fact the Government makes over the projected rural Orange and national meetings at Newry, Ireland, to-morrow. He says it is nonsense.

The Orangemen who were to have started from England for Newry were stopped by the secretary of the Orange Society, owing to Earl Spencer's order.

NEWARK, June 8.—The Nationalists paraded the streets today with bands and banners. A meeting was held outside the town. On the return of the Nationalists from the meeting they passed in, and when the procession reached the Protestant church of the town the Protestants retaliated. Several shots were fired. The police and troops interfered. Four Nationalists and several Orangemen were arrested. Many persons were injured.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by correspondents. THE PRESBYTERIAN RECORD. To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—In your last issue I notice part of an article copied from the *Presbyterian Record* containing an extract upon church matters of that denomination in the North West. I, with many others in the same situation, think that if the authorities of that body instead of allowing the efforts of other denominations to be belittled by their reporters, were to turn their attention and endeavor to amicably arrange the dissensions now existing between the Home and Foreign Mission Committees, and obtain the peace for their lands here in order to furnish valid titles to the lands sold by them, it would be much more satisfactory to the general public and more in accordance with their teachings.

LOT OWNER.

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—Though unwilling to engage in newspaper discussion, I must ask permission to make a few remarks on an item furnished by your reporter in the last issue of your paper.

I wish to state very distinctly that the Presbyterians of Prince Albert are not to be held responsible for a thoughtless expression, which happened to be employed about Emmanuel College, by a correspondent in the case writing to a journal published in Montreal. The writer of that letter received neither information nor inspiration from any one living here. The Presbyterians of Prince Albert have no feelings but those of respect and esteem for their friends and neighbors connected with the College, and will deeply regret if the hasty expression so needlessly reproduced in your paper has given them pain.

It is very absurd for any one to expect that a college, lately organized in these Western Territories, should be equal to those of older foundation, richly endowed and fully equipped in other lands. We suppose, however, that Emmanuel College may compare favorably even with those colleges at corresponding dates in their history. It certainly bears high testimony to the energy and spirit of those who brought it into existence, and who are now carrying on, within it, the work of higher education.

In reference to the school which the Presbyterians are now endeavoring to have established in the town, I may say that I am not aware that they have ever claimed that it will be a "school of schools," or superior to any other institution of the same kind. We expect, if successful in our attempt, to begin on a modest scale—doing as good work as possible with the pupils who may come to us, and with the means at our command. I quite confidently assert that no true Presbyterian amongst us will cherish or give exposure to the statement, which seems to be inspired by the reporter, "thinking God that we or our institutions are better than our neighbors."

When the Presbyterians here offered to contribute to the amount of \$2,000 and are trying to obtain an additional endorsement from their General Assembly in order to establish in the town a school which will benefit others equally with themselves, I do not think they can be justly reproached that once upon their fellow citizens would speak contemptuously of their efforts, or describe them in such a style in the least newspaper.

WM. MACWILLIAM.

The Manor, Prince Albert, June 18, 1884.

[The statement appeared in the *Presbyterian Record*, and was distributed in the Presbyterian church, therefore those are responsible for circulating it. We feel sure if the paragraph had not been mentioned by us, it would have remained unchallenged. Our paragraph refers only to the *Presbyterian Record*, and particularly its correspondent "R," who we are assured is a member of the cloth. The above explanatory letter shows the necessity of reproducing the statement, and we assure that no allusion being made to our fellow citizens, no contempt was used, save for the writer of the North West notes, on whom we will keep a friendly eye.—Ed.]

TIMBER DUES.

The following answer to a letter sent by the Hon. Lawrence Clarke to the Minister of the Interior, on the granting of free privilege to his wood, has been handed to us for publication:

To the Hon. Lawrence Clarke, Prince Albert, Sask.

Sir,—Your letter to the Minister of the Interior, of the 11th February last, suggesting the desirability of granting to actual settlers free permits to cut wood for fuel, fencing and building purposes, was duly received in this Department, but I find that by some oversight, its receipt was not acknowledged. The Crown Timber Agent at Prince Albert has, nevertheless, been instructed to report on the subject for the information of the Minister.

I have the honor to be, Sir, Your obedient servant, P. B. DOUGLAS. Ottawa, June 3, 1884.

TERRITORIAL NEWS.

REGINA.

From the Leader, June 3.

Col. Harcher, with a detachment of men, left for Calgary on Monday last. The *Canada Gazette* contains a proclamation declaring Regina a separate registration district.

Judge Richardson is this week taking his western circuit. He holds a sitting of the Court to-day (Thursday) at Moosejaw.

A large party left Regina for the Rocky Mountains and British Columbia on Monday night.

Mrs. McIlwain, a farmer's wife, living near Regina, managed with the aid of a shot gun to dispatch a wild turkey the other day.

We were shown last evening samples of wheat and oats from the farms of W. T. Smith, C. Binns and H. Barnes, of Long Lake. It was from eight to thirteen inches long and looked well.

FORT McLEOD.

From the Gazette, May 31.

There was a foot race on Tuesday between Messrs. Cole and Lowther. The latter won.

The steamers and barges loaded with coal to Medicine Hat all right. The trip took nineteen hours.

Mr. J. G. Geddes and Major Walker are to be pitted against one another in the struggle for election to the N. W. C. Both are good men, and the contest will undoubtedly be a severe one.

When a band of horses came into one of the round-up corrals on Willow Creek an antelope was among them. The man thought it was a colt, and did not find out their mistake until it was too late to secure it.

Mr. Thomas Swan has been appointed Inspector of Homesteads for Alberta.

CALGARY.

From the Herald, June 3.

The police have ordered a number of the Indians camped about town back to their reserves, and the balance will follow in a day or two.

The Deputy Minister of the Interior intends visiting Calgary and vicinity about the 16th inst. No doubt he will acquire carefully into the success of the mining regulations, the laws, the working of the laws, and other matters connected with his Department.

Reports from the surrounding country say the crops are looking well.

Engine-driver Men, No. 147, was the first engineer to cross the Summit.

The members of the Methodist church of Calgary are making arrangements for a grand excursion to the mountains on Dominion Day.

Mr. T. B. Rodin, of the Herald, has received his appointment as Returning Officer in the coming election.

Mr. J. R. McCall, M.P.P. for Kingston, and Government auctioneer, held sales of horses and carts last Thursday and Saturday, in both of which he was very successful in disposing of the stock.

MANITOBA.

SIXNEWALL.

From the News, June 3.

Farmers generally are wearing pessimistic smiles on account of the recent rain.

James Fraser, of Grammon, had a yawning dip recently of what he thinks was black leg.

A large canoe about the size of a good sized horse, passed through the farm of Douglas McKeen in Argyle one day last week.

The news reports that an incipient cyclone passed over Brant Wednesday, taking in a distance of about a hundred miles in width, and tearing down fences, lifting up straw stacks, etc., and giving the inhabitants of that neighborhood a good scare. No serious damage was done.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.

From the Review, June 4.

The date for holding the blue ribbon army picnic at this place has been fixed for the 29th inst.

Merchants report that business was much better last month than it was in the corresponding month of last year.

The M. & N. W. Ry. Co. have reduced their staff of section men, engineers and clerks, pending the resumption of construction.

The assessment of the town for this year will be about \$2,000,000. The revised assessment last year was \$4,100,000. The population this year is 2,600.

An important meeting of the directors of the M. & N. W. Ry. will shortly be held at Montreal, when it will be definitely decided whether an additional one hundred miles will be built this year or not.

Great havoc is being done to garden plants by a dark colored grub in this locality.

RAST PORTAGE.

From the Progress, June 1.

The steamer City of Rast Portage took pleasure party out to the mines last Sunday.

The steamer Victorio left for Selkirk bay on Thursday morning for a new log.

The steamer Constellation brought in a low last Wednesday of one hundred thousand feet.

The Lake of the Woods Mining and Milling Co. have purchased a barge from the Rast Lake Lumber Co., capable of carrying sixty tons.

Mr. R. Francis left on Tuesday with a number of miners for Hay Island, for the purpose of opening up the Keweenaw beds there.

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